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DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND PANCHAYATS  
(General Branch)

### STANDING ORDER

The 18th February, 2016

**No.S.O. 437/P.A.9/1994/Ss30,119,180,204/2016.-** The Panchayats in the state are responsible for performing the functions of Health And Hygiene under clause (XVI)(h) of section 30, clause (18)(i) of section 119 and clause (15)(g) of section 180 of the Punjab Panchayati Raj Act, 1994. In exercise of the powers conferred under section 204 of the Act *ibid*, the Governor of Punjab is pleased to order that the Panchayati Raj Institutions (Zila Parishads, Panchayat Samitis and Gram Panchayats) shall perform all the functions under section 9 of the Punjab Plastic Carry Bags (Manufacture, Usage and Disposal) Control Act, 2005 and execute the provisions of this Act in letter and spirit to control the manufacturing of Plastic Carry Bags and other Plastic Products from the recycled plastic and pigmented carry bags, their use, to prohibit the disposal of non-biodegradable plastic waste in public places, drain, sewers, to restore and maintain clean environment and to deal with the matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

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